

BEFORE  
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF  
SOUTH CAROLINA  
DOCKET NO. 96-249-C - ORDER NO. 98-391

MAY 29, 1998

IN RE: Request of BellSouth Public	)	ORDER
Communications, Inc. for Waiver of Pay	)	DENYING REQUEST
Telephone Service Provider Guidelines.	)	FOR WAIVER

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on the request of BellSouth Public Communications for a waiver of our payphone service guidelines to allow for the blocking of incoming calls at the pay telephone(s) located at Delta Mills, 700 N. Woods Drive, Fountain Inn, South Carolina 29644. After some investigation, we have determined that the request is not based on concerns for safety of the employees and/or patrons at the location, but is based on personnel considerations and the workers' use of the phone(s) in question. We cannot grant a waiver of our guidelines for personnel reasons. Since the management of Delta Mills has the option of removing the payphone(s) in question to address its concerns, we must deny the request for waiver.

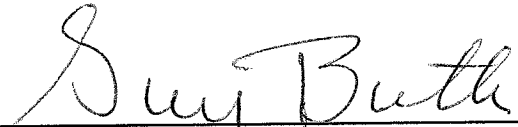
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This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

  
Chairman

ATTEST:

  
Deputy Executive Director

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